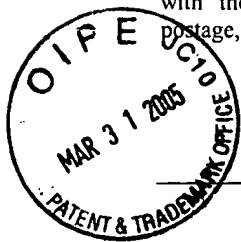


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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 22, 2004,<sup>1</sup> please enter the following amendments in the above-referenced patent application.

<sup>1</sup> Applicants are responding to the November 1, 2004 Office Action and have corrected the noted deficiencies therein. In addition, Applicants have submitted a Drawing Amendment, and submit that claims 1-2, 3-4, 8-11, 34-35 and 47-48 should remain in this case for the reasons set forth herein.